

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: REVIEW OF PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT RULES	DOCKET NO. NOI-03-1
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ORDER SCHEDULING WORKSHOP

(Issued September 25, 2003)

On July 18, 2003, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order opening an inquiry to review the Board's purchased gas adjustment (PGA) rules. In the order, the Board directed interested persons to responses and replies to responses to six questions concerning PGA rules. Responses were filed by the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate), Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL), MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican), Atmos Energy Corporation, and Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks. Replies were filed by Consumer Advocate, MidAmerican, and IPL.

To allow for further discussion of the issues, the Board will schedule a workshop for all parties and other interested persons to meet with Board staff and discuss proposed changes to the Board's rules. Prior to the workshop, the Inquiry Manager will send an agenda and a summary of comments prepared by Board staff to those persons who filed comments. The agenda and summary will also be made

available to other interested persons upon request to the Inquiry Manager, Bob LaRocca, at 515-291-5898 or by email at Bob.LaRocca@iub.state.ia.us.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

A workshop is scheduled for 10 a.m. December 10, 2003, in the Board's conference rooms 3 and 4 located at 350 Maple Street, Des Moines, Iowa. Persons with disabilities who require assistive services or devices to observe or participate should contact the Utilities Board at (515) 281-5256 in advance of the scheduled date to request that appropriate arrangements be made.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 25th day of September, 2003.